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1. PER REFTELCONS, USIS LONDON PLANNING UNDERTAKE WEEK-
LONG TOUR OF NATO INSTALLATIONS AND INSTITUTIONS. SIX
LABOUR AND SIX CONSERVATIVE MEMBERS OF HOUSE OF COMMONS
WILL BE ACCOMPANIED BY EMBASSY ESCORT OFFICERS RAY SEITZ
(POL) AND DOUG WILSON (//SIS). TOUR INTENDED TO PROVIDE
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MPS WITH A FIRST-HAND, IN-DEPTH LOOK AT US COMMITMENT TO
NATO.

2. POST PROPOSES FOLLOWING SCHEDULE: SUNDAY, NOV 13--
AR. BRUSSELS 1150, BE 246. LUNCHEON OR DINNER WITH DAVID
KYD, DIRECTOR, NATO INFORMATION SERVICE; RECEPTION,
BRITISH MISSION TO NATO. OVERNIGHT BRUSSELS. MONDAY,

NOV 14--BRIEFINGS AT NATO HEADQUARTERS, SHAPE IF AT ALL POSSIBLE. OVERNIGHT BRUSSELS. TUESDAY, NOV 15--AR. FRANKFURT, LH 103, 1225. HELICOPTER TO EAST GERMAN BORDER AREA FOR BORDER VISIT. EVENING RETURN TO RHEIN-MEIN AFB. OVERNIGHT RHEIN-MEIN AFB. WEDNESDAY, NOV 16--0805 DEPARTURE FOR BERLIN ON MILITARY TRANSPORT. ARRIVAL BERLIN 0915. BRIEFINGS BY AMERICAN OFFICIALS, TOGETHER WITH NORWEGIAN PARLIAMENTARY GROUP, PER REF. C. OVERNIGHT W.BERLIN

THURSDAY, NOV 17--BERLIN BRIEFINGS AND VISIT TO E. BERLIN, PER REF. C. IF AAT ALL POSSIBLE, GROUP WOULD LIKE TO INCLUDE SESSION WITH BRITISH AND FRENCH AS WELL AS AMERICAN OFFICERS AT ALLIED COMMAND. OVERNIGHT W. BERLIN. FRIDAY, NOV 18--LEAVE BERLIN 0905, BEA 673, FOR LONDON.

3. FOR ALL ADDRESSEES: ASSUME YOU WILL PROVIDE TRANSPORTATION TO AND FROM AIRPORT AS WELL AS TO AND FROM HOTELS AND BRIEFING SITES. REQUEST YOU RESERVE 14 SINGLES WITH BATH AT MODERATE-PRICE HOTELS FOR DATES SPECIFIED PARA. 2, AND ADVISE NAMES ADDRESSES AND PHONE NUMBERS OF HOTELS, SO POST CAN PROVIDE INFORMATION TO PARTICIPANTS. PLEASE CONFIRM FEASIBILITY OF PROGRAM OUTLINED PARA. 2 SOONEST, SO POST CAN CONFIRM TRAVEL ARRANGEMENTS AND PROVIDE PARTICIPANTS WITH PROGRAM DETAILS. PLEASE SLUG CABLES FOR ACAO D. WILSON. MORE DETAILED BRIEFING GUIDELINES, AS WELL AS NAMES OF PARTICIPANTS, UNCLASSIFIED

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WILL BE SENT SEPTTEL.

4. FOR /USCINCEUR VAIHENGEN, KIRBY: AS DISCUSSEDEREF.

INCLUSION ON NOV 16 MORNINO MILITARY FLIGHT THRU BERLIN CORRIDOR TO WEST BERLIN WOULD BE HIGH-IMPACT EVENT, PROVIDING PARLIAMENTARIANS WITH FIRST-HAND EXPERIENCE WITH NATO FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT. POST REQUESTED TO OAV \$13 PER PERSON FLIGHT FEE, AND HOPE YOU CAN CONFIRM BORDER VISIT AND BERLIN FLIGHT SOONEST. PLEASE ADVISE ALSO IF FEE REQUIRED FOR OVERNIGHT STAY AT RHEIN-MEIN. PERLMAN

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